

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applic. No. : 10/583,338 Confirmation No: 2594
Applicant : Mathias Deiml, et al.
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Title : Method for the Automatic Starting and Stopping
of an Internal Combustion Engine
Art Unit : 3744
Examiner : William E. Tapolcai
Docket No. : 2003P15333
Customer No. : 24131

Hon. Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

A M E N D M E N T UNDER 37 CFR §1.116

Sir:

Responsive to the Office action dated January 7, 2009 kindly amend the above-identified application as follows:

- **Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.
- **Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 5 of this paper.